

Greetings Mr. Washburn,

I am sorry that I cannot effectively speak my public input since I am handicapped recovering from a stroke several months ago. My old age and a heart attack are limiting expressing serious state of national conditions of the USA Republic created by the Constitution Ordained and Established by our Founding Fathers in 1778. Regrettably we are beyond survival of Lives, Liberty and Freedoms with the National and International regimes competing for global dominion.

My concerns are and have been about the injustices that have occurred over 200 years due to some settlers and government officials. Unfortunately none of the Indian tribes has and immigration programs. As a result of the greediest, inconsiderate, thieves and selfishness resulted in some of the tribes and the aliens invaded the Indian sanctuaries and sacred areas. Unfortunately Government Officials did not provide justice to Indian defenders of their territories and their way of life. There was never a merger between the continental natives and the deserters from the Imperial Dominion from other countries.

It is now 2013, over 500 years there has injustice against Indians and modification of government control revisions of tribes are surviving on changes of policy. The Indians will have some say, but not participation of bettering their lives. The Indians in their constriction on Reservations should be treated as native American States or Countries. Do Indians have to go through an Immigration program and take the oath to be loyal to the Constitution?

All the territory should be given to the Indians. The governments officials are giving aliens, homes, pay their rent; give them welfare handouts, free medical and other atrocious services at the expense of Americans.

The concept of Life, Liberty and Freedom will shortly succumb. Probably within months and be absorbed by the North American Union as a possession of the UNITED NATIONS. What will happen to the American Indians? What will happen to Americans?

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YOUR TURN

Letters to the Editor

Tribe backs local events

The Chumash donated \$5,000 for 4th of July fireworks to the Lompoc Fire Department, and that bothers me.

The tribe has donated large amounts several times and requested Lompoc City Council to support the Chumash efforts to expand land acquisition to expand. A few local citizens in Santa Ynez, Solvang and even a couple in Buellton objected because it would reduce the Santa Barbara County tax. The city and Santa Barbara County refused to support the Chumash.

The Flower Festival parade will be short this year and will have a few parade floats and maybe fewer school bands. In my mind, it might be great if the tribe were invited to present a little fill-in for the Flower Parade. They have great color, costumes and dances.

I would like a moment to thank Chumash Chairman Vincent Armenta and the casino for all the support they have provided, this year and the several years in the past.

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